



## Indiana State Excise Police News Release

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Indiana State Excise Police arrest 27 in the Eagle Village apartment complex.

Officers from the Indiana State Excise Police, assisted by deputies from the Vanderburgh County Sheriff's Department conducted an enforcement initiative in the area of the Eagle Village apartment complex near the University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, during this first week of classes. As a result of this detail Officers charged 27 minors with alcohol-related offenses.

Those arrested will have to appear in the Vanderburgh County Misd. Court. Each youth faces a maximum fine of up to \$500 plus court costs, and up to a maximum of 60 days in jail. Generally, first time offenders will be allowed to attend substance abuse counseling and upon successful completion have this first charge erased from their record.

Officers will continue to patrol in this area in an effort to reduce the number of police runs made to this location during the 2007-2008 school year.